



Princeton Nurseries Historic District, Plainsboro and South Brunswick Townships, Middlesex County, New Jersey

Photograph 1. Building 1. Modern house, 80 Mapleton Road.



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Photograph 2. Building 2. Barn, 80 Mapleton Road.



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Photograph 3. Building 3. Van Dyke/Hoffman House, 325 Mapleton Road.



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Photograph 4. Building 4. Matthias Van Dyke House, 323 Mapleton Road.



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Photograph 5. Building 5. Ziegerhofer House and barn, 252 Mapleton Road.



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Photograph 6. Building 6. Higgins House, 250 Mapleton Road.



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Photograph 7. Building 7. Shennard House, 119 Mapleton Road.



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Photograph 8. Building 7A. Shennard Barn.



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Photograph 9. Building 8. Perez/Homan House, 1 Old Nursery Lane.



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Photograph 10. Building 9. Lofland House, 3 Old Nursery Lane.



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Photograph 11. Building 10. Cruz House, 5 Old Nursery Lane.



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Photograph 12. Building 11. Pritchett House, 7 Old Nursery Lane.



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Photograph 13. Building 12. Vik House, 8 Old Nursery Lane.



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Photograph 14. Building 13. Andujar House, 10 Old Nursery Lane.



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Photograph 15. Building 14. Rutherford House, 134 Mapleton Road.



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Photograph 16. Building 15. Princeton Nurseries Office, 145 Mapleton Road.



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Photograph 17. Interior of Building 15.



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Photograph 18. Building 16. Blacksmith Shop/Safety and Education Building.



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Photograph 19. Building 17. Large Packing Shed.



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Photograph 20. Building 17 interior, in the original western section.



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Photograph 21. Building 18. Tree Storage Building.



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Photograph 22. Building 19. Greenhouse Complex.



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Photograph 23. View inside Building 19; gable ends of greenhouses are visible.



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Photograph 24. Building 20. The Cottage, 149 Mapleton Road.



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Photograph 25. Building 20B. Telephone utility building (intrusion).



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Photograph 26. Building 21. Seed Department.



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Photograph 27. Building 21A. Sand building.



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Photograph 28. Building 22. Fenwick House, 1011 Ridge Road.



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Photograph 29. Building 23. I. C. Withington House, 1004 Ridge Road.



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Photograph 30. Building 24. Joyce House, 1007 Ridge Road.



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Photograph 31. Building 25. Braddock House, 7 Railroad Avenue.



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Photograph 32. Building 26. Eugene Harvey House, 9 Railroad Avenue.



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Photograph 33. Building 27. Harvey House, 6 Greenwood Avenue.



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Photograph 34. Building 28. Ten Broeck/Shope House, 983 Ridge Road.



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Photograph 35. Building 29. Goeke House, 979 Ridge Road. Intrusion.



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Photograph 36. Mapleton Road Bridge over Heathcote Brook.



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Photograph 37. Ridge Road Bridge over Heathcote Brook.



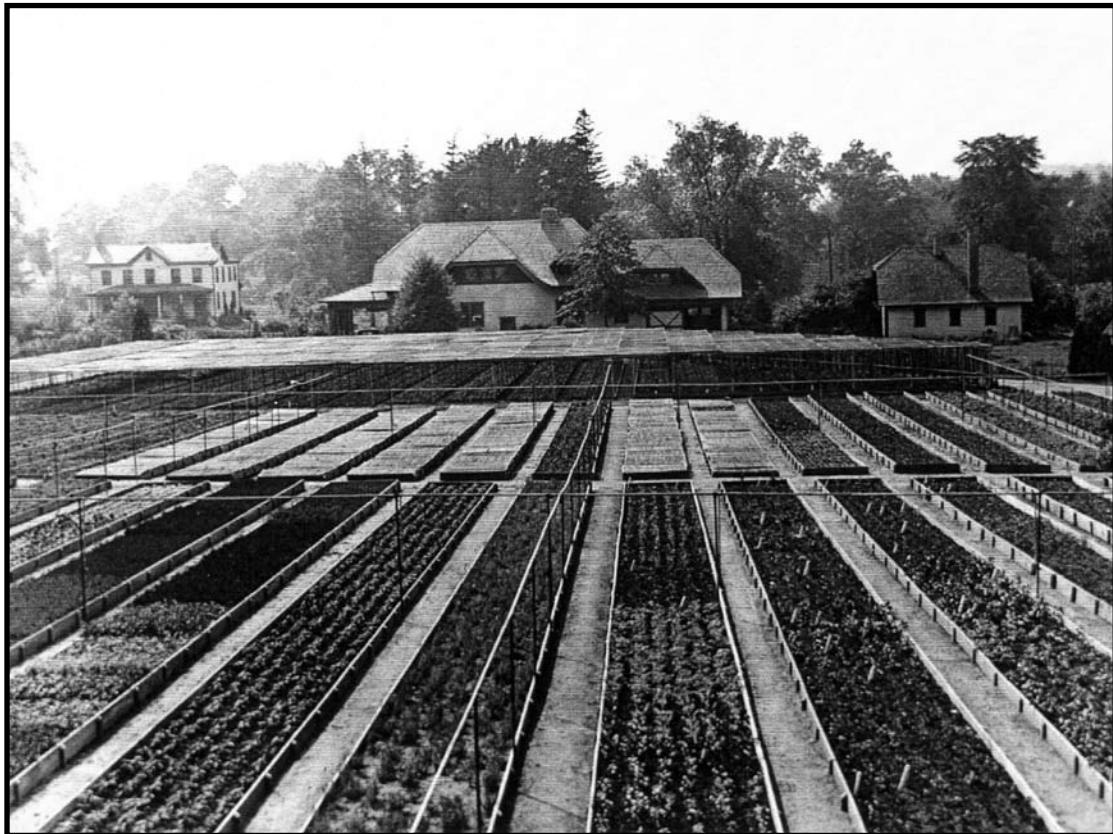
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Photograph 38. Allee on Mapleton Road near the Mathias Van Dyke House. Structures visible at right are outside the district.



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Photograph 39. View south on Mapleton Road.



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Photograph 40. 1920s photo showing the headquarters building (#15) in its original configuration.



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Photograph 41. 1920s photo of Princeton Nurseries. The headquarters building (#15) is at left, the packing shed (#17) is at right.



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Photograph 42. Undated aerial photograph of Princeton Nurseries, looking east. Ridge Road is visible at upper left, Mapleton Road is parallel to and near the bottom of the picture. The greenhouses and packing building are visible at left center.



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Photograph 43. View of the former Camden and Amboy Railroad roadbed west of Mapleton Road.



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Photograph 44. General view of nursery houses on Mapleton Road; left to right, buildings 14, 13, 9 and 10.



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Photograph 45. Overview at Railroad Avenue and Greenwood Avenue. Building 26 at left, 27 at right.



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Photograph 46. Rows of nursery stock, north side of Ridge Road.



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Photograph 47. Rows of nursery stock, west side of Mapleton Road.



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Photograph 48. Typical windrow, east of Mapleton Road near headquarters complex.



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Photograph 49. Typical windrow, east of Mapleton Road and south of headquarters complex.



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Photograph 50. View west showing ginkgos lining field road; headquarters complex (l-r buildings 18 and 19) visible at rear.



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Photograph 51. View north of headquarters complex from field. Buildings 19, 18 and 17 visible.



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Photograph 52. View north across nursery fields south of headquarters complex.



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Photograph 53. View north showing rows of nursery stock west of Mapleton Road with building 9 visible at rear.



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Photograph 54. View west in seedling field west of Mapleton Road; trees at rear indicate Delaware and Raritan Canal.



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Photograph 55. View from seedling field east toward Mapleton Road. Building 7 is visible.

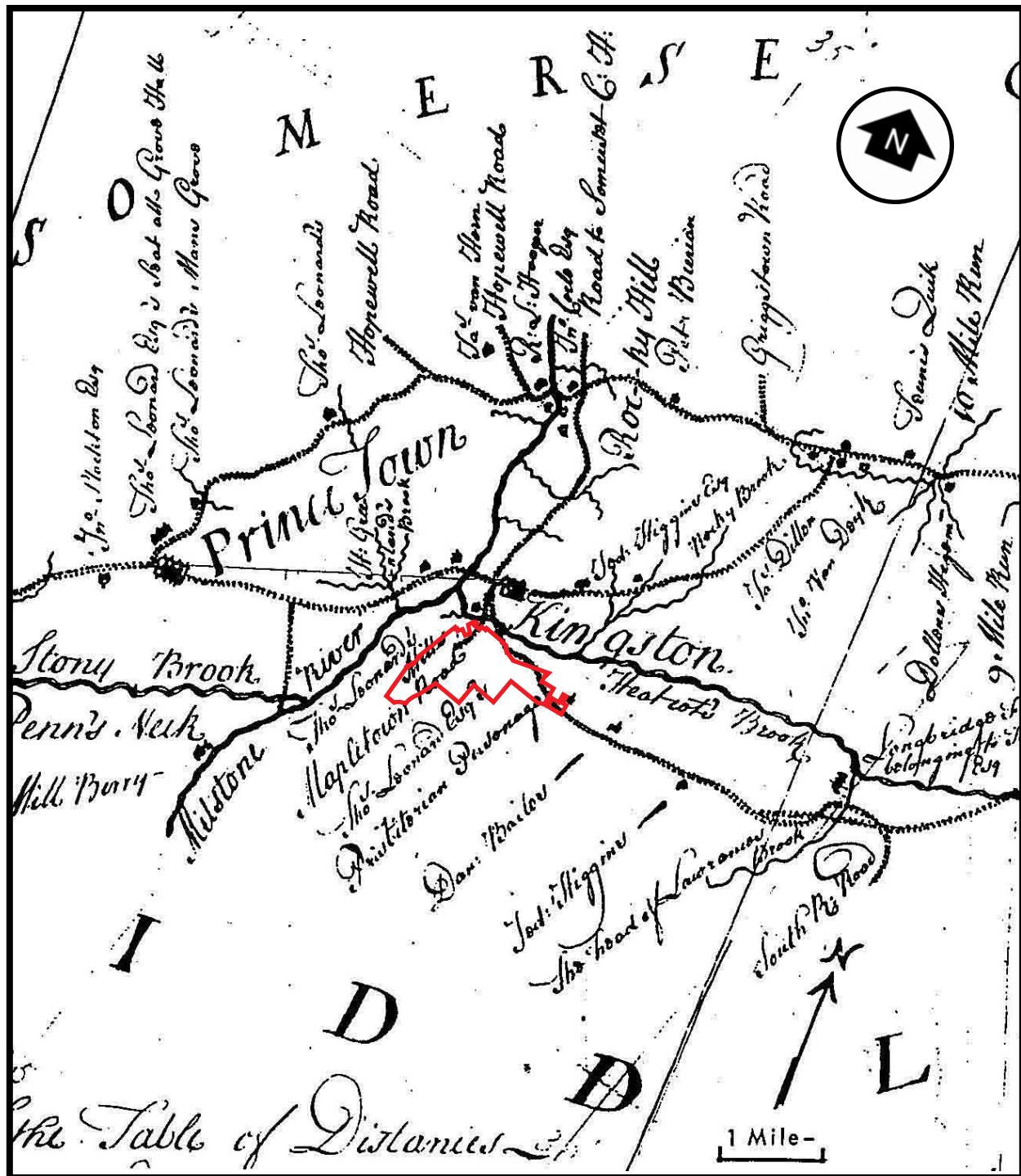


Figure 1. A portion of Dalley's *Map of the Road from Trenton to Amboy*, 1745. Scale: 1 inch= 1.5 miles (approximately). Historic district boundary in red.

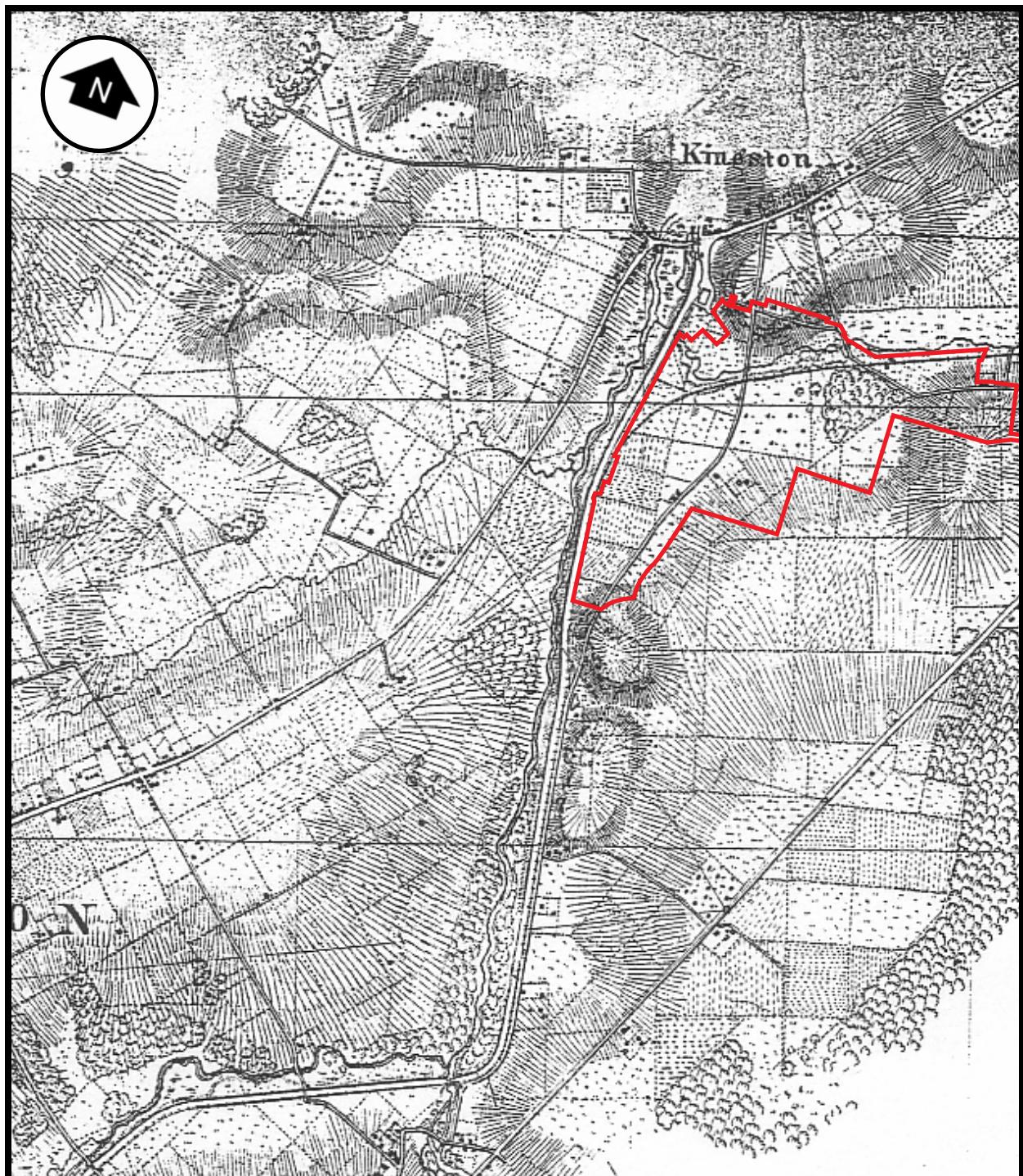


Figure 2. A portion of *Princeton and Vicinity*, Sheet 127, United States Coast Survey, 1840. Scale: 1 inch= 2000 feet (approximately). Historic district boundary in red.

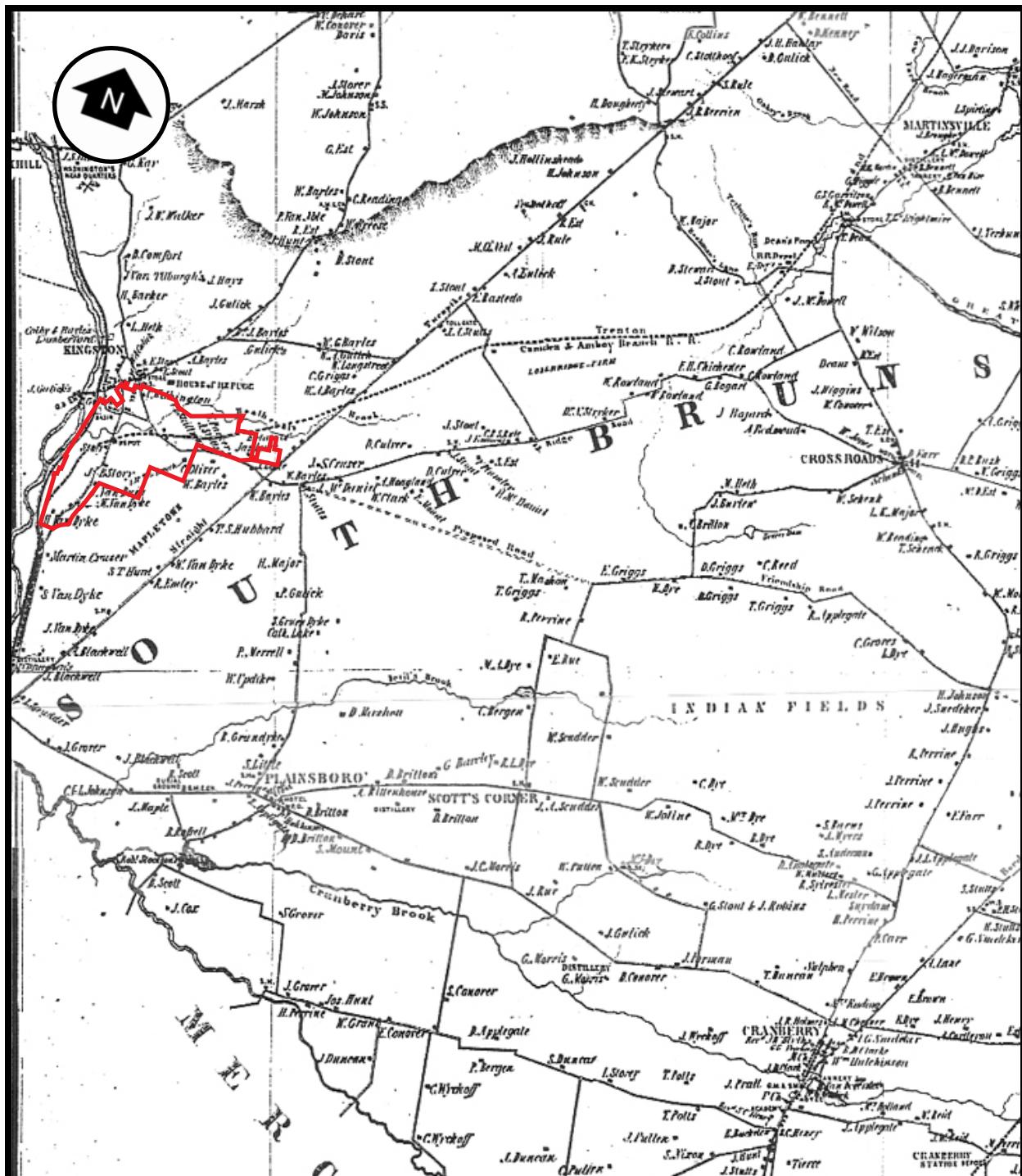


Figure 3. A portion of Otley and Keily's *Map of Middlesex County*, 1850. Scale: 1 inch= 1.1 miles (approximately). Historic district boundary in red.

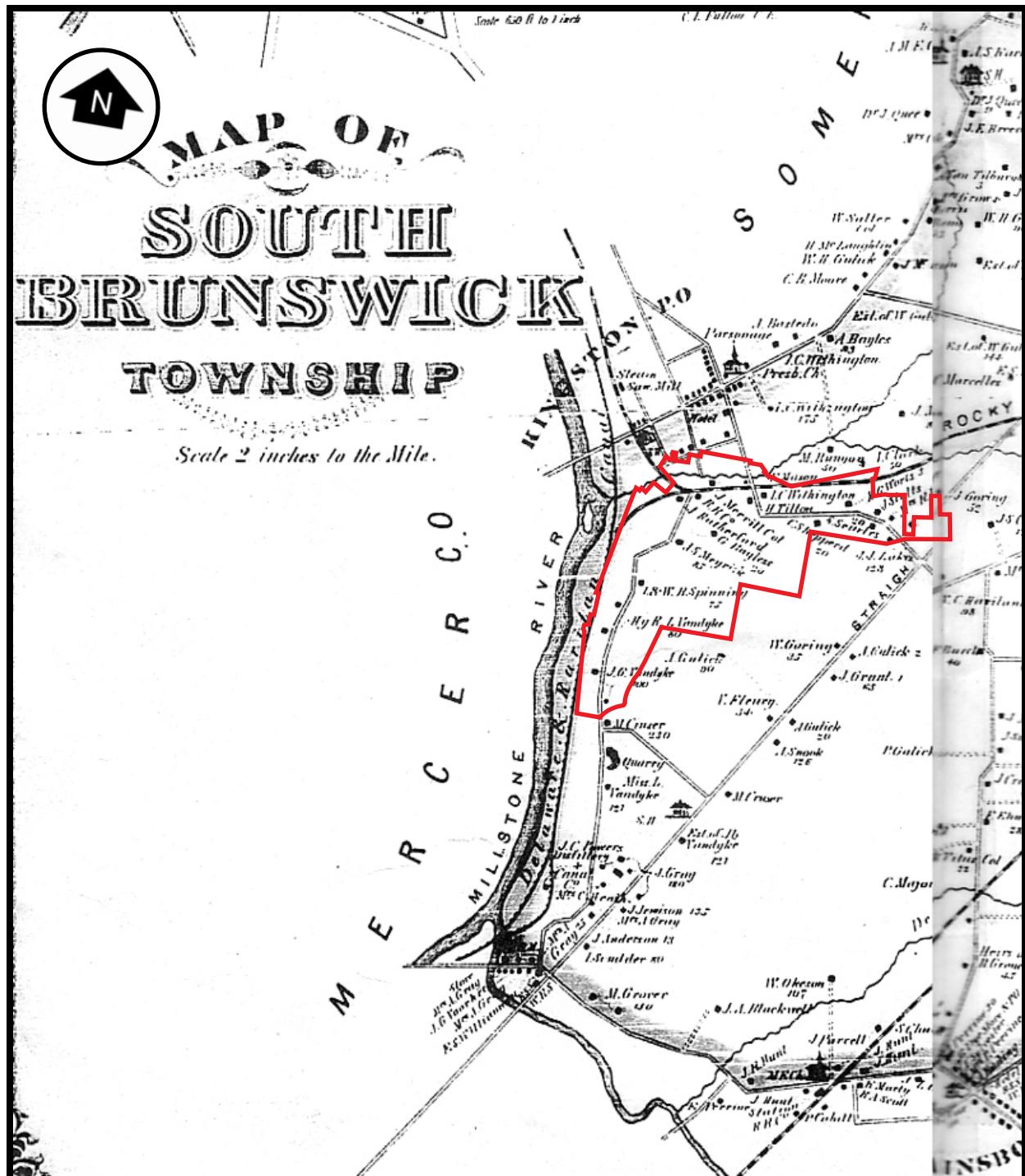


Figure 4. A portion of Everts & Stewart's *Combination Atlas Map of Middlesex County, New Jersey*, 1876. Scale: 1 inch= 2,000 feet (approximately). Historic district boundary in red.



Figure 5. Princeton Nurseries in 1972, near its peak. Historic district boundary shown in red. U.S. Route 1 is at the top of the map. The lower right part of the map, below the line marked "Pennsylvania Railroad," is discontiguous and is located near Monmouth Junction, New Jersey, between two and three miles east of the core of the nursery.

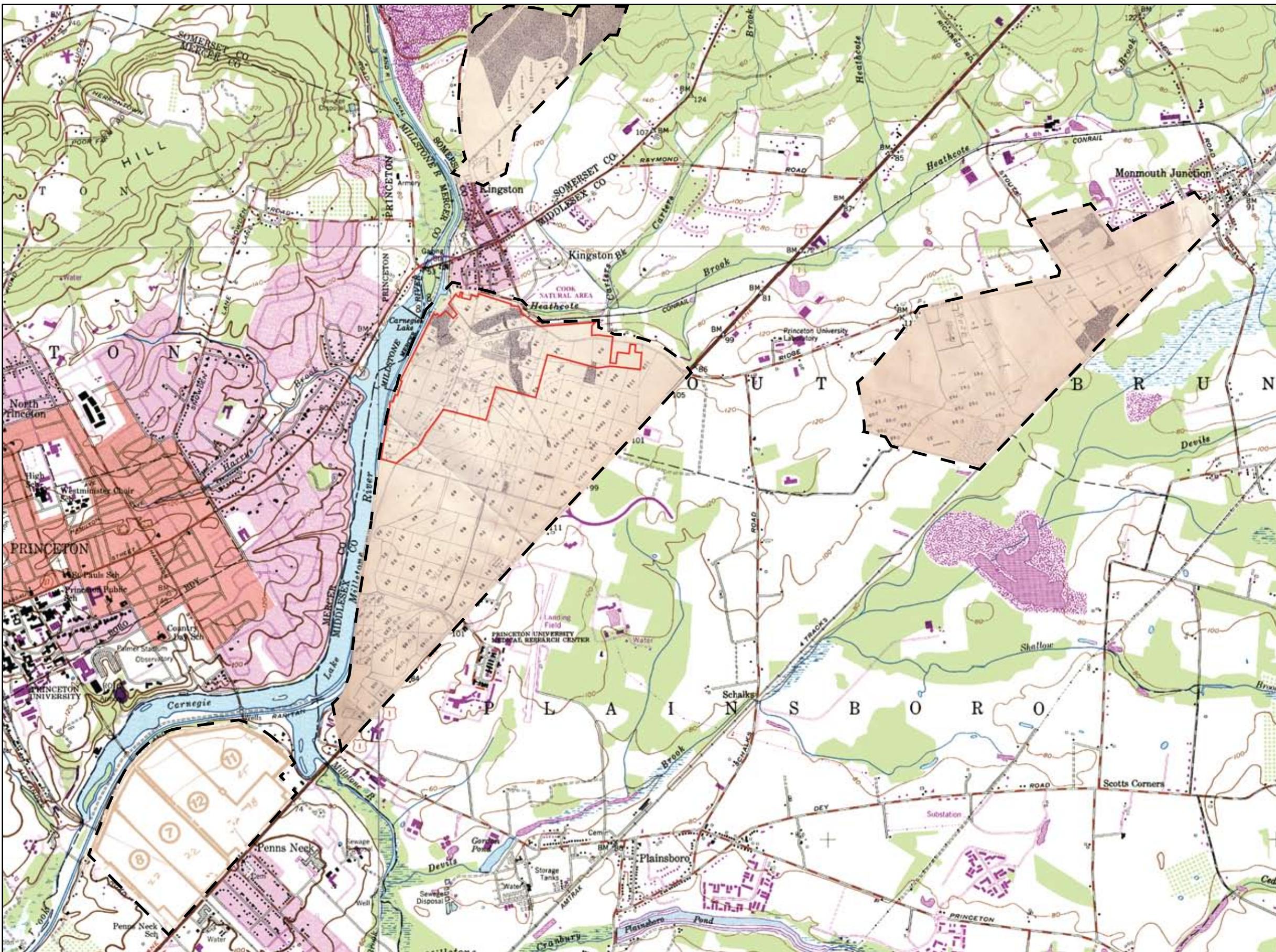
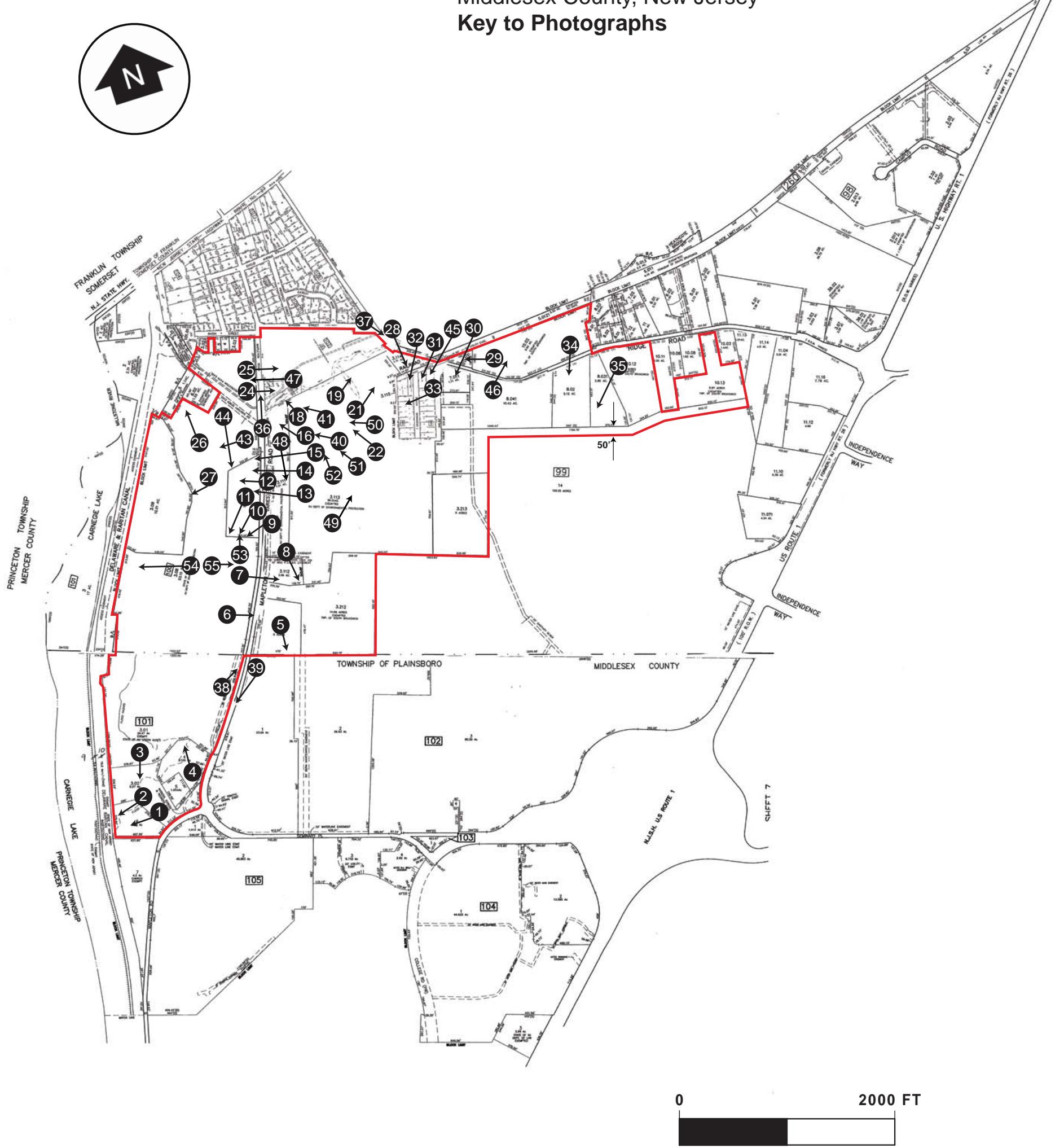
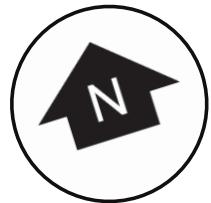
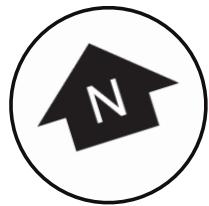


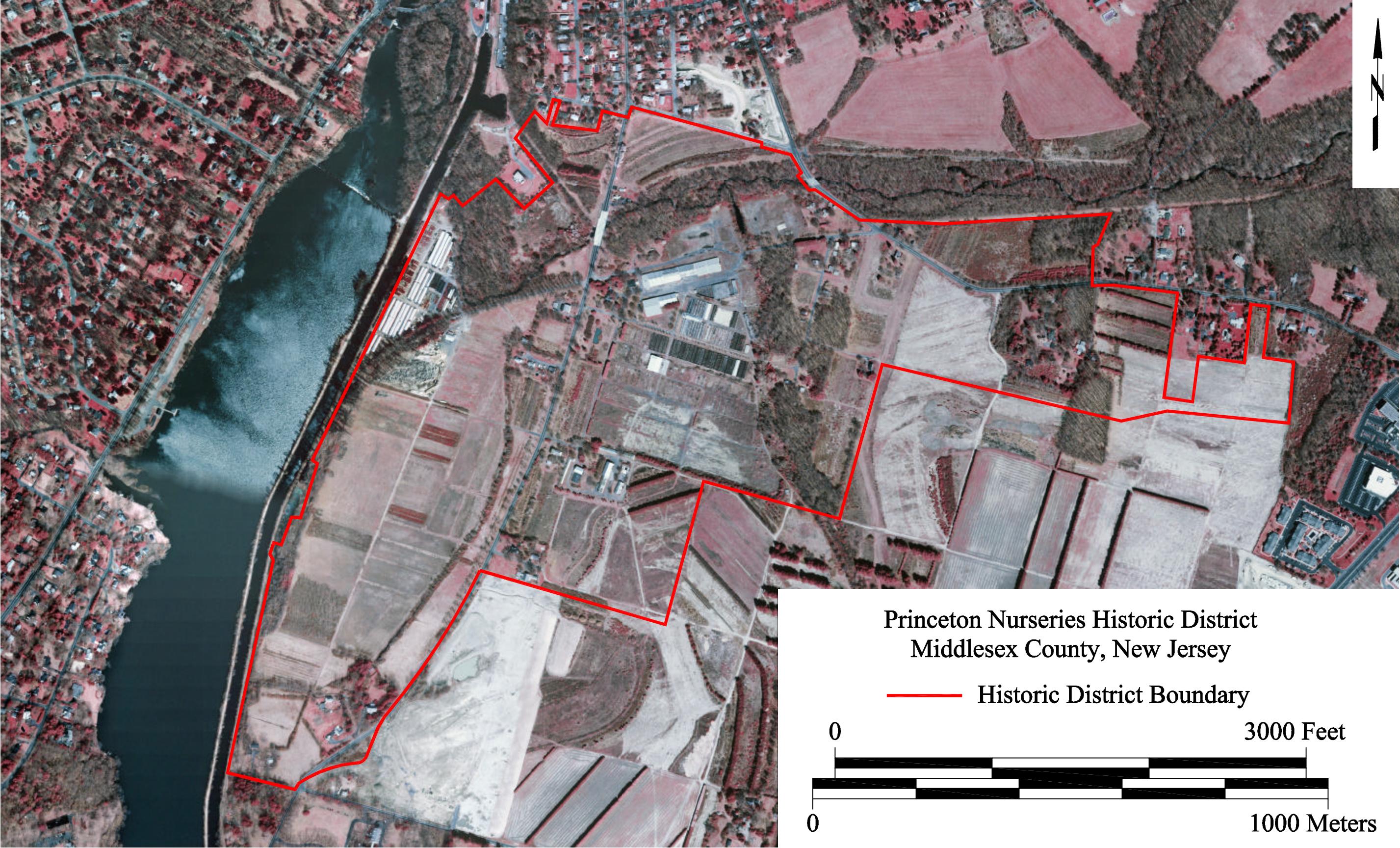
Figure 6. Lands in production by Princeton Nurseries were not confined to the Kingston site nor was all the land owned by Princeton Nurseries. This map shows the location of the three components of Figure 5 (with the district boundary) and a portion of a map from Breese, *Princeton University Land* (labeled 7, 8, 11 and 12), also cultivated by the nursery, all superimposed on parts of the Princeton, Hightstown and Monmouth Junction USGS quadrangles. Scale: 1 inch=.5 m (approximately).

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**Boundary and Building Location Key**





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Historic District Boundary

